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Walla Walla District, Corps of Engineers
Attn: Lower Snake River Study
201 N. Third St.
Walla Walla, WA 99362-1876

Dear Sirs:

We oppose breaching the Snake River dams.

Tree Fruit farms help the environment by removing carbon dioxide from the air and returning oxygen. Any action that makes tree fruit farms less profitable will lead to fewer trees. Fewer trees mean more of a greenhouse effect.

Therefore, we need more trees to help the environment. Please save the dams.

Sincerely yours,



Carl Brenner,
President

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